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PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 03863.0055

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Kazunori SHIMADA	)	Group Art Unit: 1723
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Application No.: 10/021,029	)	Examiner: K. MENON
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Filed: December 19, 2001	)	
	)	Confirmation No.: 9552
For: ANTIBACTERIAL MEMBER,	)	
METHOD OF PREPARING THE	)	
SAME, ANTIBACTERIAL FILTER	)	
AND ANTIBACTERIAL	)	
CONTAINER	)	

MAIL STOP AMENDMENTS  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In reply to the Office Action mailed January 26, 2005, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper.